

Car Wrecks In This Area Send Six To Hospital

Crash In Heavy Snow Fall Sends Two Couples To Hospital

In the most serious of a series of motor vehicle accidents reported to the highway patrol during the past week, five people were critically injured in a head-on collision at Big Bend Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Taken to the Highland Hospital at Auburn by the Truckee ambulance were Nick G. Carr, 51, Sacramento, driver of the eastbound vehicle, his wife, Catherine, 33; Robert Pixius, 50, San Francisco, driver of the westbound car, his wife, Charlotte, 45, and Albertine Moreau, 66, San Francisco, occupant of the Pixius car.

State Patrolmen Martin Sturcke and Tom Sheehan said the Carr machine apparently skidded into the path of the Pixius car. The accident occurred in a heavy snow storm.

Woman Hurt

Mrs. Columbia Fiorella, 59, of Reno suffered major injuries on Christmas when her car skidded into a snow bank near Hirschdale when she applied the brakes to avoid running into a three-car collision. She was surveying the damage to her vehicle when another car crashed into her machine and she was knocked onto the pavement. She was taken to a Reno hospital.

Car Overturns

H. J. Le May, 32, Reno, suffered minor injuries and his companion, Julius J. Cupa, 30, Carson City major injuries, when a car driven by the former skidded and overturned a mile and a half east of Hirschdale Saturday evening at 5:30 o'clock. Patrolman William Gautsche cited the driver for being on the wrong side of the highway and not having his vehicle under control.

Bus Mishap

A Greyhound bus driver, Conrad Peterson, 40, Reno, was cited by Patrolman Gautsche Sunday after the heavy vehicle, without passengers, hit a car driven by Eugene Casselman, 41, Port Chicago, and knocked the smaller vehicle upon the guard rail. No one was hurt.

OVER 1,000 ATTEND PARTY ON PLAZA ON FRIDAY NIGHT

Climaxing the Christmas season in Truckee, more than 1000 people gathered at the giant outdoor tree on the Plaza Friday night to enjoy the program of music, the presentation of more than 900 gift packages and a visit from Santa.

The affair was arranged by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles and was contributed to by business men and women of Truckee, Tahoe and the surrounding area.

The affair was one of many held throughout the district during the Christmas week, all of which were well attended and provided seasonal enjoyment.

For the most part, local business firms reported a busy season as more and more people are learning the value and convenience of shopping at home.

HELP YOURSELF TO GET COUNTY'S AID. FLORISTON IS TOLD

A delegation of Floriston residents was told, in effect, at last Thursday's meeting of the county board of supervisors:

"As soon as you come back here with cash equal to half the cost of the new bridge you need, we will try to get the state to match it with flood relief money."

The residents had hoped to get county action at once. They said that 10 or 11 of their number had pledged \$175 each toward the cost of a bridge to replace the private one washed away by the Truckee River over a year ago and that the biggest property owner had already pledged \$3,000. They thought \$7500 from Floriston and \$7500 from the state would turn the trick.

T. L. Chamberlain Jr., Auburn attorney, acted as their spokesman. He thought the county could at once take over the road right of way and the bridge project, a step that would be necessary before seeking state aid. However, the supervisors felt they had no right to act before the residents' money was laid before them.

J. F. O'Connor, county road commissioner, was asked to see if he could find a satisfactory bridge cheaper than the \$7500 now at San Jose, which the Floriston people have an option on. He was also asked to get a construction estimate, if possible, from H. D. Stover, the man who would design the abutments.

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March Of Dimes Will Start Here On January 2nd

Roy F. Waters, recently reappointed to again head the March of Dimes committee in the Truckee area, announces that the drive for funds will be started next Wednesday, January 2, and issued an urgent appeal that all possible assistance be given the campaign.

Waters pointed out that the need for funds to fight dread infantile paralysis is more apparent now than it has ever been. He cited many cases throughout the county which have depended entirely upon public funds and called upon local residents to make every effort to help.

Aside from the usual containers to be placed in most stores and business places in the area, Waters said he would seek assistance in the drive from the various organizations and individuals.

"This is one cause which should have the support of each and every individual," Waters said. "I plan to devote as much time and energy as possible to the drive but I earnestly solicit the aid of everyone in making the campaign successful in this area."

TONINI'S TOPS SAY HOLIDAY DECOR CONTEST JUDGES

Tonini's Grocery, with its novel winter scene, designed and constructed by the owners, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Philippi, was awarded first prize in the chamber of commerce Christmas decoration contest by a group of unnamed judges last week.

The winter sports scene surrounds an ice pond and miniature animated figures. It has attracted wide attention and favorable comment.

Second place went to the St. Louis Cafe while the third prize was awarded Sierra Rooms for its outdoor Santa Claus scene, most attractive at night. The Sportland and Bud's were awarded fourth and fifth places respectively.

Honorable mention went to the Cliff Ellis house, Duane's Do-Nut Shop, Stan's Barber Shop, the Justice Court, California Cafe, R. N. Little's office, the Laundromat, Sierra Tavern, Riverside Hotel, Harry's Texaco Station, Ellis Shell Station and Heller's Union Station.

BOARD CANVASSES SUMMIT P.U.D. VOTE. 11 CAST 'YES', 33 'NO'

Nevada County's supervisors on last Thursday looked over the voter list, tally sheet and other records of the election held at Donner Summit December 18 and then formally voted that the returns showed:

"In favor of disincorporation of the Donner Summit Public Utility District: 11."

"Against disincorporation: 33."

"I understand they are protesting the election," remarked H. G. Loehr of Truckee, chairman of the board of supervisors. He did not elaborate.

On the day of the election some of the voters objected because, they said, there were inaccuracies in the map sent by county officials to delineate the utility district. At that time District Attorney Vernon Stoll said any protestors could have recourse through the courts.

Holiday Guests

Guests at the William Englehart Jr. home for the year-end holidays are Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Campbell of Arcadia, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Pasadena. The latter couple celebrated their wedding anniversary here yesterday.

Guests of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Scott of Sacramento are guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scott.

Snowbound Pair Rescued In Wild Webber District

Sheriff's Ski Posse Men, Power Company Cat To The Rescue

Another successful rescue was effected in the snowbound area near Webber Lake last Thursday when a search party, headed by Constable N. F. Dolley, located two men who went into the area to seek an abandoned caterpillar owned by Ferguson Brothers of Truckee.

Four men went to search for the equipment back of Webber Lake Thursday afternoon. They were Monte Wallis and A. U. Lunkley of Hobart Mills, Dave Medford and Robert Wagner of Truckee. After hours of futile hunting, Wallis tired and declared his inability to continue. Lunkley remained with him while Medford and Wagner returned for aid.

Dolley recruited members of the Sheriff's Ski Posse, Roy and Erving Waters, Ferguson, Ken Shreck, August Sassarini and with Medford and Wagner returned to the area. The two stranded men were found in good condition and had built a huge fire. Frank Giovannoni drove the Sierra Pacific snow cat for the rescuers. The party returned to Truckee about 2 a.m.

The fate of the missing caterpillar remains a mystery.

TRUCKEE MAN HELD FOR DEPORTATION, TO ASK FOR RETURN

Isga Campos Peralta, well known young Mexican national, wanted very much to become an American citizen, so he proceeded to make application for his papers. Then he found himself in difficulties and wound up in jail at Sacramento on charges filed by the immigration officials.

It appears that the genial and well-liked Peralta wanted so badly to be in the United States that he did not ask the necessary permission, and as a result became one of that increasing tribe of so-called "wet backs."

Peralta had been employed at the round house here for a number of years. Only recently he purchased a new automobile and was fast becoming a well rounded resident of the community when he was advised of his mistake—wanting to become a citizen too badly.

The young man is expected to return to Truckee before being deported, after which he promises to reenter this country but not without proper permission.

Four-Way Celebration For Family's Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Koehler of San Francisco are here visiting the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pistoia. Accompanying them were Vasco Pistoia, Mrs. Julia Meringer and her daughters, Ann and Anna. The visit was the occasion for a four-way celebration. Mrs. Koehler's birthday is on Christmas, her sister's the day before and the Koehlers celebrated their 13th wedding date this week.

Mrs. Joe Bick Improving Following Operation

Mrs. Walter Loynd has returned from San Francisco where she has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Joe Bick, who underwent an operation recently. Mrs. Bick was reported to have improved and returned to her home at Sunnyvale. She is well known here, where the family lived for a number of years.

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Jarrett

Actually, the New Year changes little but the calendar. Yet, in the minds of most people it marks a point of fresh beginning, new incentive and new hope. All of us wish for a New Year that will really be happy. What can we do to make it so? The measure of happiness and sadness we experience seems largely determined by mighty outside forces which appear little affected by what we do or do not do. But if we analyze our lives more closely we find that most of the joys and the heartaches stem not from forces without but from thoughts within. A genuine effort to "do unto others . . ." makes existence more pleasant. On the other hand, the determination to "get yours" no matter what the harm to others will result in eventual unhappiness even if it brings temporary success. This is old stuff. Yet it's the stuff life is made of. No one escapes some rough weather on life's sea but we find the sailing a lot smoother when we drop old grudges, treat all people with equal respect, and strive to make our home and communities more desirable places in which to live. It's worth trying . . . and January 1 is a good time to start.

The staff at the Sierra Sun and their families join in extending to you and yours hearty best wishes for a happy and prosperous and peaceful new year.

AUTO REGISTRY AT C.H.P. OFFICE STARTING JAN. 2

Vehicle registration renewals will be accepted at the Truckee office of the California Highway Patrol starting Wednesday, January 2, and will extend through Monday, February 4. Service will be available Mondays through Fridays and from 8 to 12 Saturdays.

Potential registration cards will be mailed during the current week and motor vehicle owners are asked to await the arrival of these cards before applying for renewals.

Tags will be issued instead of new license plates.

FERDINAND NAMED 20-30 CLUB PREXY

Lorin "Skip" Ferdinand was elected president of the Truckee 20-30 Club at their last meeting. He will succeed Jack Ellis in the chair. Other new officers will be Tom Patterson, vice president, and James Leamon, sergeant at arms. Al Koolhof will continue as secretary. The board of directors will include, beside the foregoing officers, Jack Ellis, Cliff Ellis, O. G. Alexander and John Street.

The 20-30 Club will hold its annual New Year's Eve ladies night party at Cozzi's Cafe on Monday night.

MRS. BECKWITH'S DEATH REPORTED

SODA SPRINGS—Following a lengthy illness, Mrs. Earl Beckwith, well known to many friends in this vicinity, died at Nevada City on December 22, according to word received from her husband. Last rites were held on December 24.

The deceased and her husband had been summer residents for a number of years at Donner Summit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Besio of Modesto, Mr. and Mrs. A. Oroz of Gardnerville and Martin Oroz, now in the Army stationed in Georgia, were visitors with Mrs. Steve Besio and Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Besio.

Sportsmen Hear Discussion Over Fish, Game Plan

Experiments at Sage Hen Show Low Survival of Reared Trout

State Senator Harold T. Johnson of Roseville sampled opinion of sportsmen's organizations of the seventh senatorial district (Placer, Nevada and Sierra Counties) at a no-host dinner meeting at Nyack Lodge, near Emigrant Gap, on December 19.

Representatives from sportsmen groups at Truckee, Lake Tahoe, Sierra Valley, Loyalton, Colfax, Foresthill, Grass Valley, Nevada City and Auburn took part in the discussions.

The agenda included such problems as beaver plants, clearing smaller lakes of rough fish, the problems of Boca, Donner, Tahoe, Truckee River and other waters, fish planting, deer hunting, bird hunting, opening of access trails and predatory animals control.

One of the highlights of the meeting was the talk by Dr. Paul Needham, international authority on fish and biologist for the department of fish and game, who is engaged in trout studies on Sage Hen Creek, between Truckee and Sierraville.

Dr. Needham said that less than one per cent of fish planted in a stream live 18 months; that environmental causes or hazards account for a 60 per cent mortality. He said storms, floods, washouts, diversions kill more fish than the fishermen ever catch.

Dr. Needham said that 98 per cent of stream fish result from natural propagation and not from hatchery plants. He said the state is relying more and more on natural conditions, flood control and removal of environmental factors which take such a high mortality. Dr. Needham quoted Fish and Game Director Seth Gordon in the statement, "If you want more fish, catch less fish."

ALIENS MUST SIGN JANUARY 1 TO 11

All aliens resident in the United States on January 1 must register with their local postmaster between that date and January 11. This report is required once each year at this time.

Postmaster E. C. Bavier of Truckee, along with all other U. S. postmasters, will have regulation report cards which must be filled out with pertinent information, including individual alien registration numbers. Registration is required under the Internal Security Act of 1950 and the sole exceptions are aliens temporarily admitted who have not overstayed their authorized period of admission and students whose period of admission has not yet expired.

CARSON DEFEATS T-T HIGH TEAM

CARSON CITY—The Carson City High School's Senators last Friday night scored a 58-28 win over the visiting Tahoe-Truckee High basketball varsity. Carson took a commanding 19-4 lead at the quarter, led 30-14 at the half and 51-21 in the third stanza.

Bobby Tonini led the visitors in scoring with 8 while J. Longero paced the victors with 13.

Carson's junior varsity won 43 to 22.

At Colfax—

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lloyd and son were Christmas visitors at Colfax.

Korean Veteran, Back, Says Fight On Front Rugged

One of Truckee's veterans of the Korean war, Roy Kendricks, a career soldier with the infantry, accompanied by his wife, the former Ellen Louise Everett of Truckee, and their three children, have been spending the past few days with the former's mother, Mrs. Della Burlingham.

Kendricks, who served in the Navy in World War II but changed his service affiliation to the Army at the outbreak of the Korean campaign, is back after 17 months in the far east fighting zone, for a year state-side duty, being currently assigned to Fort Lewis, Washington.

The young veteran, who has only eight years before retirement, is extensively decorated, including two clusters on his Purple Heart and only recently was discharged from an army hospital after recovering from battle injuries. He described conditions in Korea as "rugged". The weather, he said, is bad and the commies tough fighters without fear of death and with a lust to slay the GI's.

Kendricks said the weather in Korea is comparable to that of Truckee but with precipitous mountains, rough terrain, a minimum of comfort and no conveniences.

INFLATION HITS POSTAL SERVICE, RATES ARE RAISED

Principal changes in postal regulations effective the first of January are increases in the cost of post cards and new limits on weight and sizes of parcel post packages, Mrs. E. C. Bavier, Truckee postmaster, announces.

Postal cards will go from one to two cents each effective next Tuesday. On purchases of 50 or more cards at a time an extra ten per cent will be added. Bulk mailing, therefore, will cost 2.2 cents per card.

Sizes of parcel post packages in first class offices will be reduced to 72 inches in length and girth combined and the weight limit will be 40 pounds if for delivery in the first and second zones. A limit of 20 pounds has been set for packages going to the third to eighth zones. The reduced limits will apply only as between first class post offices. Truckee, being a second class office, will not be affected by the limits on parcel post.

The postmaster points out that the one cent drop letter for local delivery will be a thing of the past. After the new year, local first class postage will have a two cents minimum.

There also will be increases in fees collected for registration, insurance, special delivery and C.O.D. services.

GATEWAY CAFE REOPENS IN WEEK

The Gateway Cafe, closed for the past two weeks, was reopened Saturday under the capable direction of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrison, the former a well-known local chef and cook who will have charge of the kitchen. Mrs. Garrison operates the dining room.

The cafe was recently leased by Joseph DeMai of DeMai's Auto Parts and Machine Shop, and Harry Lauritsen, jeweler, who operates his shop at Gateway Park. DeMai declared that it is the plan of the new operators to feature only the best foods, prepared in clean quarters, at prices to please every customer.

Mothers Here—

Mrs. Amanda Philippi and Mrs. Elmay Lawrence, both of Portland Ore., are guests for the holiday period of their respective children Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Philippi.

Ross Strosnider Killed By Car In Southern Mishap

Tahoma Realtor 20 Years, Once Operated Resort On Lakeshore

TAHOE CITY—Mr. and Mrs. Truman Sunkle of Tahoma have received word from Los Angeles advising them of the accidental death of Ross H. Strosnider, 61, for more than 20 years a resident of the Tahoe Cedar tract near Tahoma.

According to a newspaper clipping received by his former neighbors and friends, the prominent and widely-known realtor was struck by a car while crossing a street at LaBrea and Beverly within a block of his home. Rushed to a hospital, Strosnider never regained consciousness and died several hours later.

The accident occurred Wednesday, December 19, about 1 p.m. According to reports, Strosnider had crossed the street to secure a newspaper after ordering lunch at a nearby restaurant, when he was struck. The driver of the car was not held.

Funeral services were held Saturday and burial was in a Los Angeles cemetery beside the body of his late father.

Strosnider first came to Lake Tahoe in 1932 and had engaged in the real estate business since. He and his late wife owned and operated a resort on the lakeshore for a number of years. He leaves a sizeable estate which consists of acreage and houses in the Tahoe Cedars tract, as well as the water system for the tract and property in southern California.

He is survived by a son, Charles, serving with the Navy in the far east; a step-daughter, Mida Haas of Los Angeles, and a step-son, Ewing Haas, of Sacramento.

HIRSCHDALE WRECK SPILLS 5M GALLONS OF ETHYL ON ROAD

Approximately 5,000 gallons of ethyl gasoline were spilled over Highway 40 and the area surrounding Hirschdale yesterday morning when a Lang Transportation truck trailer overturned on the bridge crossing the Truckee River.

State Patrolmen William Gautsche and T. F. Sheehan said Jack W. Salmon of Yolo, driver of the vehicle, told them the rear wheels on the trailer broke as he was making a turn, causing the vehicle to get out of control.

The wreck broke a hole in the tank, allowing the gasoline to run freely before Thorton's Garage big tow truck arrived to right the vehicle.

The driver was not injured.

Visitor Breaks Ankle In Fall Down Stairs

Mrs. Mary Leone of San Francisco, mother of Mrs. William Waters, had the misfortune to break the bones in her left ankle when she slipped on the stairs to the second story of the Waters house while carrying her grandson, Barry. In the effort to protect the child, who was uninjured, the visitor snapped the bones when she fell three steps. Mrs. Leone and daughter and son, Evelyn and Vin, who are also guests, will return to their home Friday.

FIREBALLS WINNERS ON LOCAL COURT

Lack of reserve strength told on the Truckee American Legion basketball team when they gave way again to the Colfax Fireballs here Saturday night.

Playing with only five men in uniforms the first half and final quarter, the locals led at the first quarter 12 to 7, and 23 to 16 at the half. The Fireballs rested at the end of the third stanza with a 32 to 31 lead and gained three points in the final quarter to win 48-44.

Two men accounted for over half the total points scored. Al Wakefield, Truckee, bucketed 21 and Jim Henry, Colfax, 23.

\$150 OR 75 DAYS FOR TIPSY DRIVER

Howard Hessler, 38, North Sacramento, arrested Christmas eve by State Patrolman Martin Sturcke on a drunk driving charge, driving on the wrong side of the highway and speeding, appeared yesterday before Justice of the Peace F. W. Wilson and was sentenced to serve 75 days in jail or pay a \$150 fine. Indications were he would take the jail term.

Polyanich Party—

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Weeden and children Geraldine, Tom, Ray and Roger of Oakland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Polyanich, the children's maternal grandparents, on Christmas.

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Witness my hand this 3rd day of
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PAUL HOROMANSKI
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On this 3rd day of December
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person whose name is subscribed to
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WARREN ENDORSED IN STRAW VOTE AT G. O. P. MEETING

AUBURN—Republican leaders
from the second congressional dis-
trict expressed an overwhelming
sentiment for Governor Earl War-
ren of California for the Republi-
can nomination for president at a
meeting held recently at Auburn.

The governor received 26 votes,
Senator Taft 4, Eisenhower and
MacArthur one each in a straw
poll taken at the meeting.

Jules Gerhardt of Butte County
was named chairman of the district
organization, succeeding Charles
Mabbutt of Applegate. Gerhardt
will name the secretary. Named as
vice chairmen were L. B. Taylor,
Dunsmuir, northern; Stuart Chal-
mers, Grass Valley, central; Mar-
garet Sylva, Sonoma, south.

Keynote speaker was State Con-
troller Thomas Kuchel of Anaheim,
who compared the efficiency of the
Warren administration in Cali-
fornia with the present federal
administration.

"California on November 30 had
a cash balance of \$125,000,000 while
the federal government is engaged in
deficit spending," he said.

"The Truman administration will
have spent more in 7 1/4 years than
the Roosevelt administration in
12 1/4 years," Kuchel declared.

He said integrity of government
is the issue before the people. He
suggested the federal government
should pass incompatibility stat-
utes similar to those enacted in
California to prevent "scandals,
undreamed of and shocking, reveal-
ed in the newspapers from day to
day."

State Senator Jesse Mayo of
Calaveras County told of a recent
trip through eastern and southern
states. He said he found increasing
sentiment for Governor Warren.
He said, in part, "Governor War-
ren, if nominated by the Republi-
cans, might carry Virginia, North
Carolina and Texas.

"However, if the Republican
nomination is controlled by those
who dream of the return of the
days of William McKinley and
Mark Hanna, we are going to de-
feat in 1952," Senator Mayo warn-
ed.

Mrs. Goldie Brewer of Auburn
served as temporary chairman of
the meeting.

The pause that refreshes
with ice-cold Coke



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Among the stacks of beautiful Christmas cards which are pouring in come messages from many

former Tahoeites. To mention only a few:

Irene Catterlin, sister of Stella Watson, who now resides and works in Sacramento, sent along greetings to all her friends. Yula and Fred Hughes of Denver, Colo., likewise; he formerly an employee of Sierra Pacific here; ditto the Henry Wordens, now of San Lorenzo, where Henry, with son James is engaged in building homes

Greetings too from Aileen Wilson, former resident of Tahoe Cedars, who has had a good position in Fresno for the past several years.

A note too from Dr. and Mrs. Lee Hand of San Francisco, who have a summer home in Timberland. Mrs. H. writes that the doctor has been quite ill for the past three months with rheumatic fever but is much better now. The Eric Druhn, who formerly worked at Sunnyside, wrote from San Francisco after a trip east on vacation and both are well. Ubaldo Manocchi, who has summered for years at the lake where he was employed at Tahoe Tavern, is back at Chandler, Ariz., after having spent the summer at Knollwood Club in Illinois, where he was employed. The Fred Kohlers, still at Imola, former caretakers at the Hills' estate on the Truckee River. Greetings too from the Ray Franzers, former Lake Foresters now ranching near Volcanville; the Phil Gallingers, former Tahoe City folks who were for years principal of Tahoe Lake elementary school, now residing in Newcastle where she teaches.

Tahoe Park's Mrs. Fern Schluter writes she has returned to Oakland from a two months vacation in Nebraska with members of her family. She sent along season's best to her many friends in the Truckee-Tahoe area.

One of my nicest presents was a copy of "Tahoe Talks," inscribed by Rt. Rev. Noel Porter, Episcopal bishop of Sacramento and

NORTH TAHOE

by THELMA BURROUGHS

Charles Chubb, former principal of Kings Beach school, and his recent bride, Betty, were up from the bay area, where he is studying and teaching.

Camy and Bill Althoff and son Chris are spending the holidays with Bill's family in Washington. Roy Porath of Kings Beach Variety drove to the bay area after closing Christmas eve to spend the holiday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Siple are gone for the winter, leaving Mr. and Mrs. Harry Charrison in charge of their place.

The Fred Bakers of Tahoe Vista spent Christmas with Rose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Guerrero, in Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gantner of Los Angeles brought their three sons to Lake Tahoe for white Christmas, stopping with The Burroughs.

Friends of Clarice Astle are sorry to hear she is on the ailing list. Virginia Liepert too is confined to her bed with pneumonia.

Mrs. Harry Ludlow made a very rapid recovery from a siege of pneumonia before Christmas.

Edna Rush of Kings Beach is wearing a cast on her right arm, having fallen on the ice and broken a wrist bone.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews have left North Tahoe for the rest of the winter.

Borue O'Brien Sr. came out from Salt Lake City where he is employed to spend Christmas at home with his wife, Dorothy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ashton are spending the holidays in southern California.

Miss Gladys Bryant, Kings Beach school teacher, is spending the year-end vacation in San Francisco

Tahoe. Haven't had time to read it all yet but know it will be most enjoyable. Also want to send along belated congratulations on the occasion of his 66th birthday and the 40th anniversary of his ordination, which was celebrated informally at his home on Capitol Avenue on December 18. Bishop Porter has served as bishop in Sacramento since 1933 and is the spiritual leader of Episcopalians in 26 northern California counties.

Had a welcome note from the Duff Deans, former owners of the Lakeside Cottages near Tahoe Tavern. Duff has gone back to his first love, aviation, and Mrs. D. has bought the Village Dress Shop at Newhall, where business is good and they are quite content.

Hat better ring off for this week and send along my own best wishes to all for a very happy and prosperous new year. As ever, Swanee.

My Place In the Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

Keith Weeden, up from Oakland, dropped in.....tells me his little brother, Bert, is now about six months in the army.....at leadership school at Fort Ord and slated for OCS shortly.....Keith and his family enjoyed Christmas dinner with his in-laws, the Tony Polyanichs.....the grooming board featured a roast sucking pig.....Eugene Gini, free from Uncle Sam's Navy long enough to spend Christmas with his folks, the Joe Ginis.....Ralph Graham, pre-Christmas visiting here, reports his family has moved from Sacramento to Folsom while they wait for the completion of their new home in the Town and Country district of the capital.....Layne Farar is in again and out again, then in again.....recalled to the army following his second honorable discharge from the service, the sergeant is now reported en route to a new station in Germany.....Tony Besio, son of Mrs. Steve Besio and former Truckee lad, is now principal of two schools in Modesto.....Hunters at the Greenhead Club near Fallon.....which includes several from Truckee and Tahoe.....knocked off 14,896 ducks in the season just ended.....an average of 3.4 per hunt.....also bagged were 681 geese, 32 coots.....so says the Fallon Standard.....After passing it about four times a day, got to wondering how often the "Chains Required Over Donner Summit" sign near Harry's Texaco Service has been uncovered this season.....called Bob Edwards at division of highways who went through the records for me.....first time this winter was October 24.....and has been uncovered all or part of thirty days since.....Took a Telephone poll of presidential candidates in the directories of three large California cities.....Sacramento, Oakland and S. F.....found seven Earl Warrens listed.....two R. Tafts and one H. Truman.....which is about as scientific as some I've seen.....Hope you all have a happier 1952 than you did a 1951.....you can if you are willing to do your part.....

Coffee Blossom
The coffee tree blossom is similar to the jasmine or orange in form and scent.

Sheep Shearing
Wool is sheared from sheep generally once a year.

with her parents.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Gordon of Kings Beach over Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Davis of San Francisco.

Mary Boyce is enjoying her month-long vacation at home from Mills College. Jimmy Boyce received a arm injury on a ski run last Saturday.

Zorich Sees Good Season, Names Ski School Staff

George (Bud) Zorich, director of the Zorich Ski School at Soda Springs, has announced his staff of instructors for the coming season. Bud, a veteran director and certified instructor, states he expects a better season for skiing than ever before, due to the early snow fall.

Newcomer to the staff is Bob Cooper, formerly of Mammoth Mountain and the Toni Milici Ski School. Although one of the youngest instructors, he has won many competitive events, including the Class B championship at Squaw Valley last year. He has been captain of the Legion team for two years and one year at Sun Valley.

Also on the staff is Don Harvie of Sacramento, who is well known in the area and is beginning his second year as an instructor for Zorich.

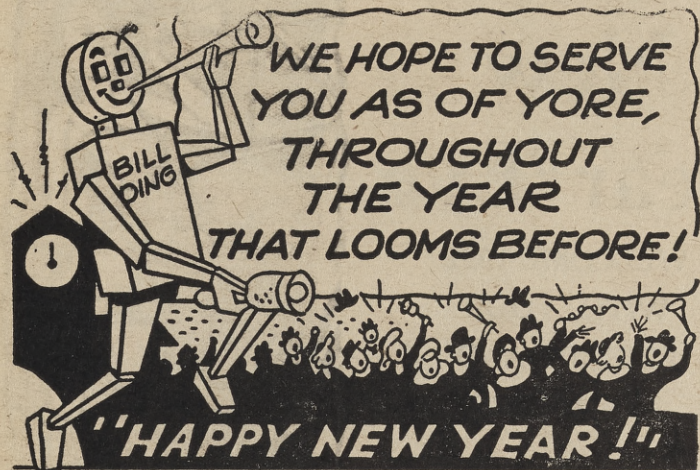
Zorich has also engaged Kjestin

Halter of Timberline Lodge. Halter has been in this country for two years and is originally from Norway and excels in his ability as an instructor.

Governor Warren Better, Planning Activities

SACRAMENTO —(C. N. S.)— Governor Earl Warren has made rapid recovery from a recent operation and already is making plans for future activities, one of which will be an official visit to Hawaii next month. The governor will be host to the Republican National Committee sessions in San Francisco, which are scheduled for January 16, 17 and 18.

Unemployment Up
The state department of employment says unemployment insurance claims are showing their winter increase, with new claims above those for a year ago.



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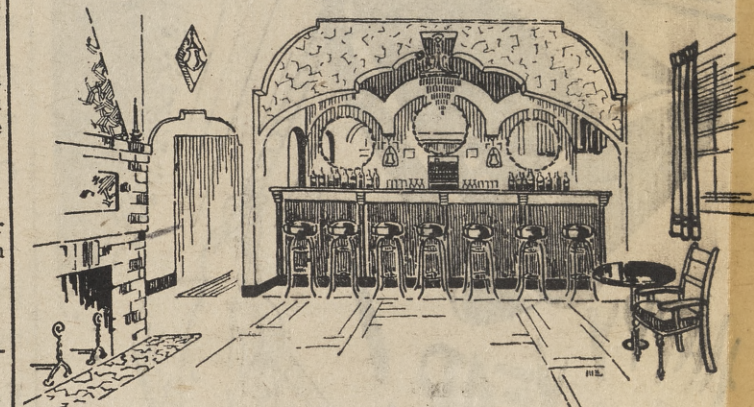
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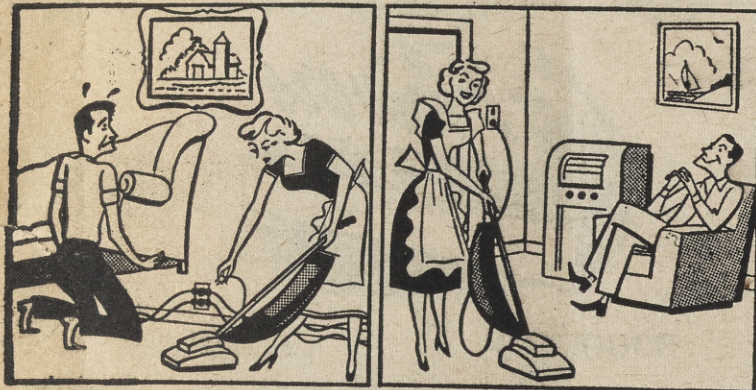


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SUMMIT SCENE

by FRAN COUILLARD

A gentle new year to you, laced with joy and calm and peace. This kind of new year wish we send to you and to all our fellow man, may love and peace attend you. Yours truly, Fran and Art.

Jim Sherritt returns from the pre-Christmas hospital meeting all grins. Reason? First meeting in the new Tahoe Forest Hospital. Jim served hot coffee and do-nuts to the other board members in commemoration of the unofficial opening. Jim's wife, Eula, could've been the first patient, what with a couple of poisonous redwood splinters imbedded in her finger that caused infection. All fixed now. The Sherritts decided at the last minute to spend Christmas with relatives in the east bay district.

Piling off the train at Norden were Barbara Zorich's folks from Plymouth, up to have Christmas dinner with the Zorichs. From the size of the royal bird Barb cooked, she surely must have had more than just her folks to dinner! Of course, there is George to think about! Met George yet? A gorgeous St. Bernard dog, Christmas present for little Debbie Zorich. George, as big as a Shetland pony (175 pounds), patiently lies on the floor whilst Debbie sticks her fist in his big mouth in an exploratory manner. Doris Chaplin of Soda Springs Hotel searches for the tra-

ditional keg of brandy to fasten on George's neck.

Christmas eve at Soda Springs Hotel found the Chaplins and staff complimenting one another with splendid gifts. A pre-ceremony of the unwrapping time was a torch light parade on the Soda Springs Ski Hill, softly complemented by broadcasting of Christmas carols. Bud Zorich, the lead man, safely led Jeannie Buek, Carl Buek, Bob Chaplin, George Covell and other skiers down the hill with their torches and it was an awe inspiring sight, especially when topped by the lighted Christmas tree atop the hill.

The Doctor Reynolds family moved en masse from the bay area to spend their Christmas in the snow, as did the Harry Beyers.

And what a Christmas it was! Softly falling dry powder flakes, without a breath of wind, truly an enchanted day. Families, braving reports of snow in the Sierra, drove up to see snow for Christmas and one group sat in our front yard while they made snow ice cream with vanilla extract, cream and stuff.

Jeannie and Elmo Moriano and John Carl took off for San Francisco to have dinner with the elder Morianos but left a wonderful Christmas repast prepared for their help, who celebrated in the Beacon Hill dining room.

Donner Summit Lodge celebrated with their usual Christmas Eve open house and their annual employee's Christmas dinner. Bud and Betty Horak didn't have too much time to enjoy their guests for the

Swiss musicians had captured the crowd with their folk dance music and no place to park in front of the lodge gave evidence of the crowd. A Mr. and Mrs. Santos and family whom we met, journeyed from Honolulu to spend Christmas in the snow and helped entertain the DSL guests with Hawaiian dances, a distinct contrast to the traditional folk dances.

Whilst everyone revelled in a wonderful Christmas, the Gulls and Englishes of Cisco Grove Lodge started the day off miserably for a fire broke out in their heating plant building which completely demolished their heating system.

Ray and Helen McCarty journeyed to Castle Creek to have dinner with their good friends, the Rossis who dug out their cabin for Christmas after leaving the balmy Sacramento valley.

We helped with the informal opening of the Mori and Secco Chantarella Lodge at Soda Springs whose formal opening is due shortly. Seated at the groaning board were Pat and Jack Lambres, Don B. Smith, Wynn Killian, Mori, Chef Joe Amandolari, Art and I. Raviola minestrone soup, french fried celery aren't usually thought of as complements to turkey, dressing and pumpkin pie, but we'll take that from now on. Gosh! what a dinner.

Milton and Helen Hogle and George Kovell weasled out to Ice Lakes where they joined Bill Rutherford, Wanda and Virg Misener waived cooking at home and dined at Donner Summit Lodge. Day and Ernie Tschopp and the children left the snow country to have Christmas in San Francisco with "the folks", as did Ernie and Margot Nordstrom.

Another employees' table was set up at the Donner Summit Highway maintenance station for "the boys" who had to stay on duty on the hill.

New Year's eve brings up Margaret Merrill to join Parley Merrill for the hill celebration. To our house comes Ellen Flynn. Boxes of confetti, paper hats, horns and stuff are coming in by the carload, evidence of lots of fun for the biggest of celebrations. Another torch light parade on the Soda Springs Ski Hill will be the biggest ever. Truckee's own Bill Porter will make music on the Soda Springs organ for the celebrants and the Woodards of the Ski Ranch promise a big wing ding for the biggest of nights.

White Christmas at Tahoe; 29 Inches on Ground

TAHOE CITY—The Tahoe region enjoyed a white Christmas after storms the week before laid down over 11½ inches of new snow to Christmas Eve and raised the ground pack to 29 inches, according to A. E. Frodenberg, official observer. This brought precipitation for the week ending Monday to a little over .69 of an inch. Snow fell Christmas Day and unsettled weather was promised for the rest of the week.

Daily high and low temperatures for the week before Christmas were Dec. 17th: 37, 12; 18th: 32, 14; 19th: 27, 21; 20th: 37, 5; 21st: 41, 10; 22nd: 45, 14; 23rd: 41, 24; 24th: low 26. Lake level Monday was 6227.37 with three gates open.

Cable Cars

The average life of the cables which propel San Francisco's cable cars is about ten months.

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Missile from Side of Road Breaks Bus Window

The California Highway Patrol here was advised yesterday that pranksters along Highway 40 in the Donner Summit area broke a window in a westbound Greyhound bus. Fortunately, no one was in-

jured, according to reports. The bus stopped at Baxter where a report was made to Patrolman Earl Crane.

Snow sports enthusiasts have been repeatedly warned that icy snowballs thrown at vehicles may cause major injuries and that the practice is a violation of the law.

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State-wide road blockades are be-
ing imposed by the California High-

way Patrol currently and lasting
through the New Years season, ac-
cording to Commissioner Clifford
Peterson. The blockades, he said,
are designed to reduce holiday auto-
mobile accident deaths and injuries
by "cracking down on the violators
who may cause them."
Patrolmen have been directed to

be on the lookout for drunk drivers,
operator license irregularities, bad
brakes and faulty lights. Citations
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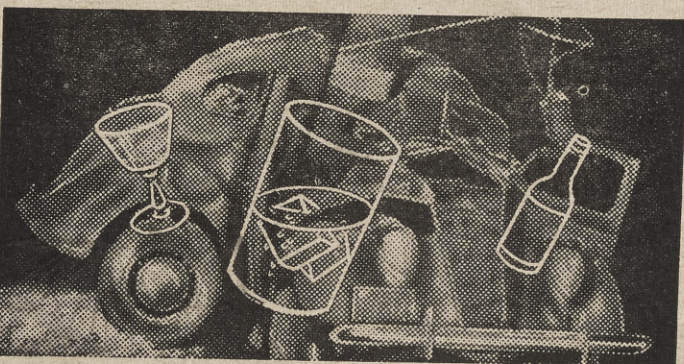
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TAHOE CITY— An excellent
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program of the Tahoe Lake ele-
mentary school in the auditorium
last Thursday evening. A group of
30 students from all grades was
chosen to sing the familiar carols
while the others dramatized ap-
propriate selections.

Soloists included Joe Sheehan
who sang "Rudolph, the Red Nosed
Reindeer"; Ronald Kurtz, "O! Holy
Night"; Kurtz and Russ Harried,
duet, "Silent Night"; John Smith,
Rex Donaldson and David Kelley,
"We Three Kings."

Joy Ferris, Bruce Scott, Binth
Rustad and Jimmy Doane sang "All
I Want for Christmas is my Two
Front Teeth."

The program was under the di-
rection of Mrs. Robert Briggs, prin-
cipal of the school. Candy was
distributed to the children after the
program.

Community Party
Approximately 400 persons gath-
ered at the big Christmas tree in
Tahoe City for the annual dis-
tribution of gifts to Tahoe area
youngsters. Don Snyder, chairman
of the committee, declared 120
children were present. The gifts
were purchased by merchants and
clubs of the community.

Gerry Waters manned the loud
speaker and provided Christmas
music while Constable Harry Jo-
hanson with horse-drawn sled ar-
rived with the packages, appro-
priately garbed for the occasion.
Ladies of the community gathered
at the Snyder home during the
week to package the gifts for Fri-
day night's community party.

The weather was clear and crisp
and the party was deemed one of
the nicest ever held under the
famous old tree, believed to be one
of the largest on the coast. Beside
this, the tree branches off at about
six feet from the ground to form
a twin tree, estimated at several
hundred years old, which ranges
around 127 in height. Various or-
ganizations of the community are
sharing the electric bill to keep it
lighted all night over the holidays.

Tahoe Homes Have Guests During Yule Season

TAHOE CITY— Up from Lodi
for the holidays are Mr. and Mrs.
D. M. Brodehl and granddaughter,
Janice Brodehl, who will be guests
at the home of the Brodehl's son-
in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.
Jay Shontz of Tahoe City. Guests
for Christmas dinner at the Shontz
home included Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Pomin and four children of Tahoe
City.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Webb of
Loomis are guests at the Imon D.
Mitchell home in Sunnyside for the
holidays. The Webbs and the Mit-
chells Sunday attended a cocktail
party at the home of the Truman
Sunkels at Tahoma.

North Lake V.F.W. Rates High on Membership

KINGS BEACH— Lake Tahoe
Post 7907, Kings Beach, was in
fourth place last month in the
California Veterans of Foreign
Wars membership campaign for
1952. The lake vets chalked up 123
per cent of their 1951 list. Leader
for the month of November was
the Needles post with 170 per cent,
Merced was second with 161 per
cent and Sun Valley was third with
133 per cent. Only seven other posts
racked up 100 per cent or better.

Ski Meets Coming

The Skier, official publication of
the Far West Ski Association, lists
the following ski meets in this
area in the near future:
Birthday slalom, Squaw Valley
January 6; Downhill Only Club of
Wengen event, Sugar Bowl, Janu-
ary 12-13.

State May Provide Roadside Tourists' Picnic Sites

SAN FRANCISCO— A campaign
waged during the past several
years by the travel and recreation
committee of the State Chamber of
Commerce appeared nearing fruit-
ion here this week, with announce-
ment by the state park commission
that it has instructed its staff to
prepare plans for establishment of
small wayside picnic stations along
highways of the state.

Practically every state in the
nation, except California, has a
well integrated pattern of these
small roadside rest stops.

The moose is an excellent swim-
mer.

Works at Weimar

Mrs. Guy White, formerly of
Truckee, recently left her position
with a Colfax bakery and has
been employed as an attendant at
Weimar Sanitarium. Her place at
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Terry Ellis Celebrating 7th Birthdate Today

Terry Ellis, who is seven years old today, was feted by her mother, Mrs. Jack Ellis, with a party this afternoon. A yellow and chocolate decorated cake centered the refreshment table and games were played, each small guest receiving a gift.

Those invited are Donna and Virginia Barnes, Jean Wakefield, Karen Smart, Shirley Patton, Donna Grack, Barry Leamon, Vicki Firpo, Francie Ann McGinn, Kary Kielhofer, Debbie Ellis, Terry Walker, Kittie Ellis. The family had planned to be in the southern part of the state for the holidays and the party was to have included Terry's cousins but due to a recent skiing accident of Mrs. Ellis, the party locale had to be changed.

Pythian Sisters Christmas Party Scheduled Tonight

A Christmas party will be held by members of the Pythian Sisters of Summit Temple tonight at 8:00 o'clock. Home-made gifts will be distributed and refreshments will be served. All members are asked to attend and bring a gift.

SON FOR LIVERMORES

A son was welcomed into the H. E. Livermore family at Pasadena on December 18. The family resides at Truckee, where the father is an instructor in Tahoe-Truckee high school.

Leaving Tomorrow

Mr. and Mrs. William Spratt will leave tomorrow for their home at Chico, following a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Waters.

Family at Gateway—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ring and daughter, Yvonne, of Auburn and Miss Azad Joseph of Sacramento were Christmas Eve guests of Richard Joseph and family.

In Valley

Mr. and Mrs. James Leamon went to Mountain View during the weekend and were accompanied on the trip by Miss Gertrude Levine and Miss Alice Hanoum, who visited their homes during the school

vacation.

San Francisco Visitor—Mrs. Minnie Coleman of the Riverside Hotel was a San Francisco visitor last week, called there by the illness of her sister.

Holiday at Downville

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrison went to Downville for Christmas.

Christmas at Auburn

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stout and daughter, Linda, spent Christmas with relatives at Auburn.

LODGE POLE PINE ABOUNDS IN SIERRA

From Alaska to Lower California, the most common cone-bearing tree is the tall, straight lodgepole pine. It thrives from the Pacific Coast inland to the eastern slopes of the Rocky Mountains.

Wherever trees will grow in this region, the lodgepole pine is likely to be found. It grows from sea level to altitudes of 9,000 to 11,000 feet. It grows best in the Sierra Nevada, where the mountains stand 8,000 to 9,500 feet above sea level.

Some trees need plenty of room in which to rise and spread their branches. But, according to the National Wildlife Federation, this is not true of the lodgepole pine. It flourishes in dense stands, where each tree becomes tall and slender. Only on the Pacific Coast does it often remain a low tree with many forked branches from the ground up.

In the mountains, the average lodgepole pine may grow to be 150 feet tall and from six to 12 inches in diameter. Here and there are a few giants which measure three feet or more in thickness.

At the top of the erect trunk are branches which form the shape of a spire. The tree's needles, growing in clusters of two, are one to three inches long and about an eighth of an inch in diameter. They are yellow-green, giving the tree a light appearance.

Cones of the lodgepole pine are egg shaped and no more than two inches long. Covered with prickly scales, the cones sometimes remain tightly closed for many years. Though seeds may stay within a cone for as long as twenty years, they are still good at the end of that time. The seeds are so tiny that it would take 100,000 of them to weigh a pound.

The wood of the lodgepole pine does not make fine lumber but it has many uses. The trunks are trimmed into mine timbers, railroad ties, poles and posts. The trees also yield pulpwood, fuel and coarse lumber.

Like all trees, lodgepole pines protect the soil and keep it from washing away. They are especially valuable for this purpose because they so often stand where no other trees will grow.

They are trees which have served man for a long time. Many years ago, says the National Wildlife Federation, it was found that the straight trunks made good tent and lodge poles. Ever since then, the tree has been known as the lodgepole pine.

Interesting information on other wildlife species may be obtained by writing to the National Wildlife Federation, Washington 10, D. C.

Party Before Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Everett O'Rourke were hosts at a pre-Christmas party on Sunday evening.

Visited Son

Jerry Zunino spent the holidays with his son, Chester Zunino, at Wilton and visiting friends in the bay district.

At Mahne Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark of Sacramento enjoyed the week end and Christmas at the A. Mahne home.

In Bay Area

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Smart and children left today for a visit with relatives in the bay area.

Going Below

Mr. and Mrs. George Waters are leaving this week for San Francisco and Chico where they will spend a couple of months visiting.

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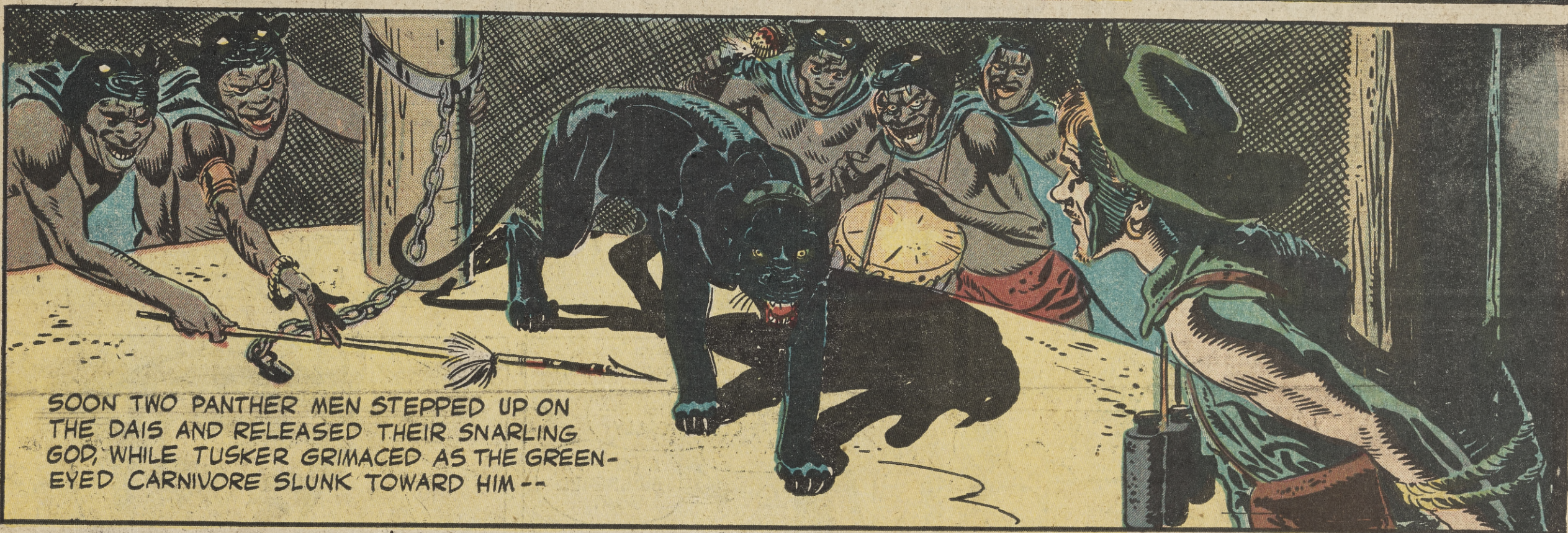
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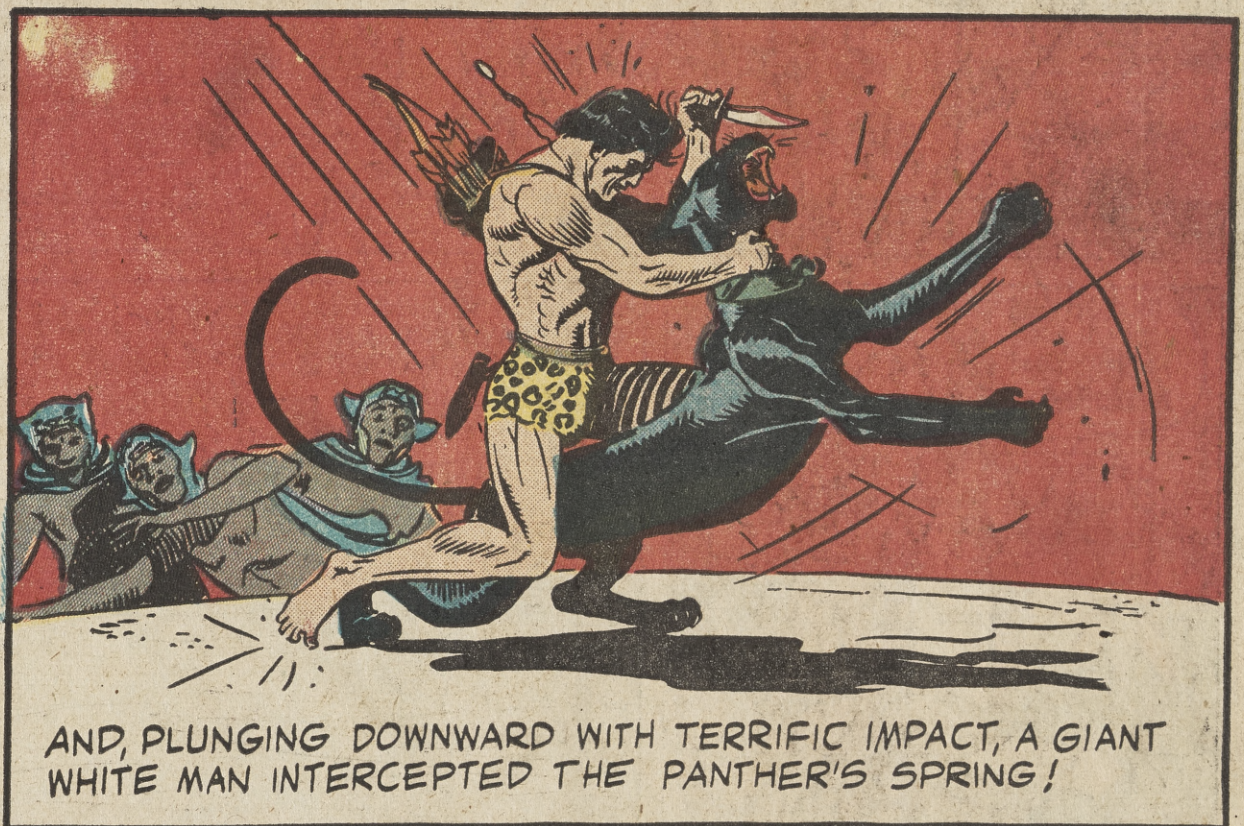
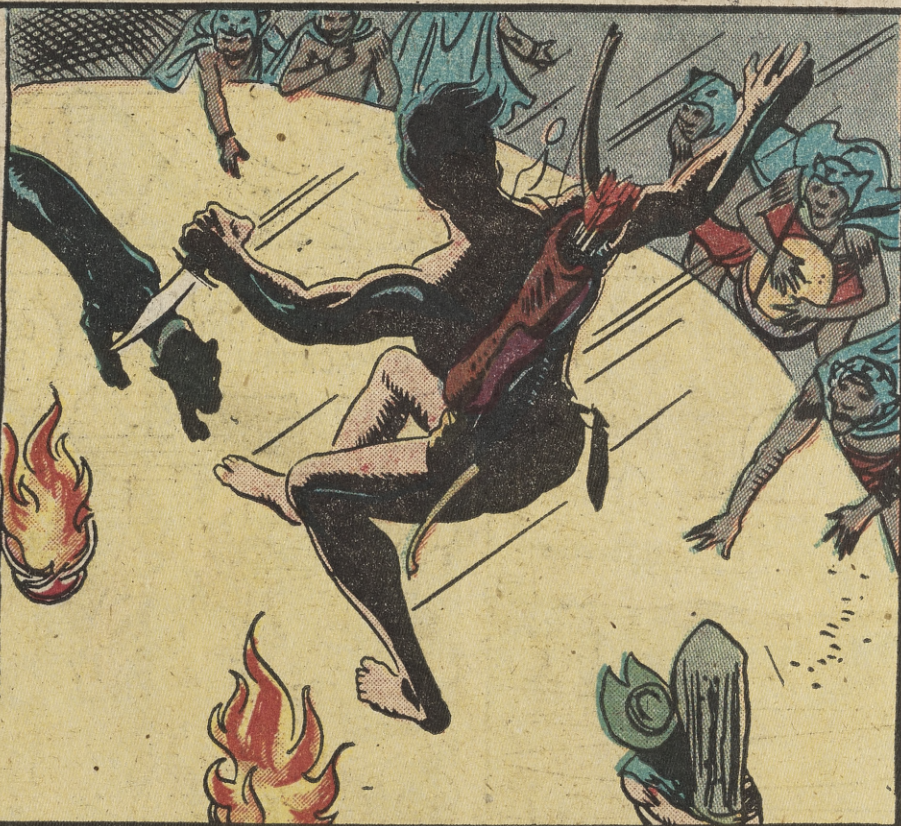
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NOT KNOWING OF WOFU'S TREACHERY, TARZAN RETURNED TO THE TEMPLE TO SAVE LYNN GARNER -- ONLY TO FIND HIS FRIEND, TUSKER, THE SACRIFICIAL VICTIM OF THE PANTHER MEN.

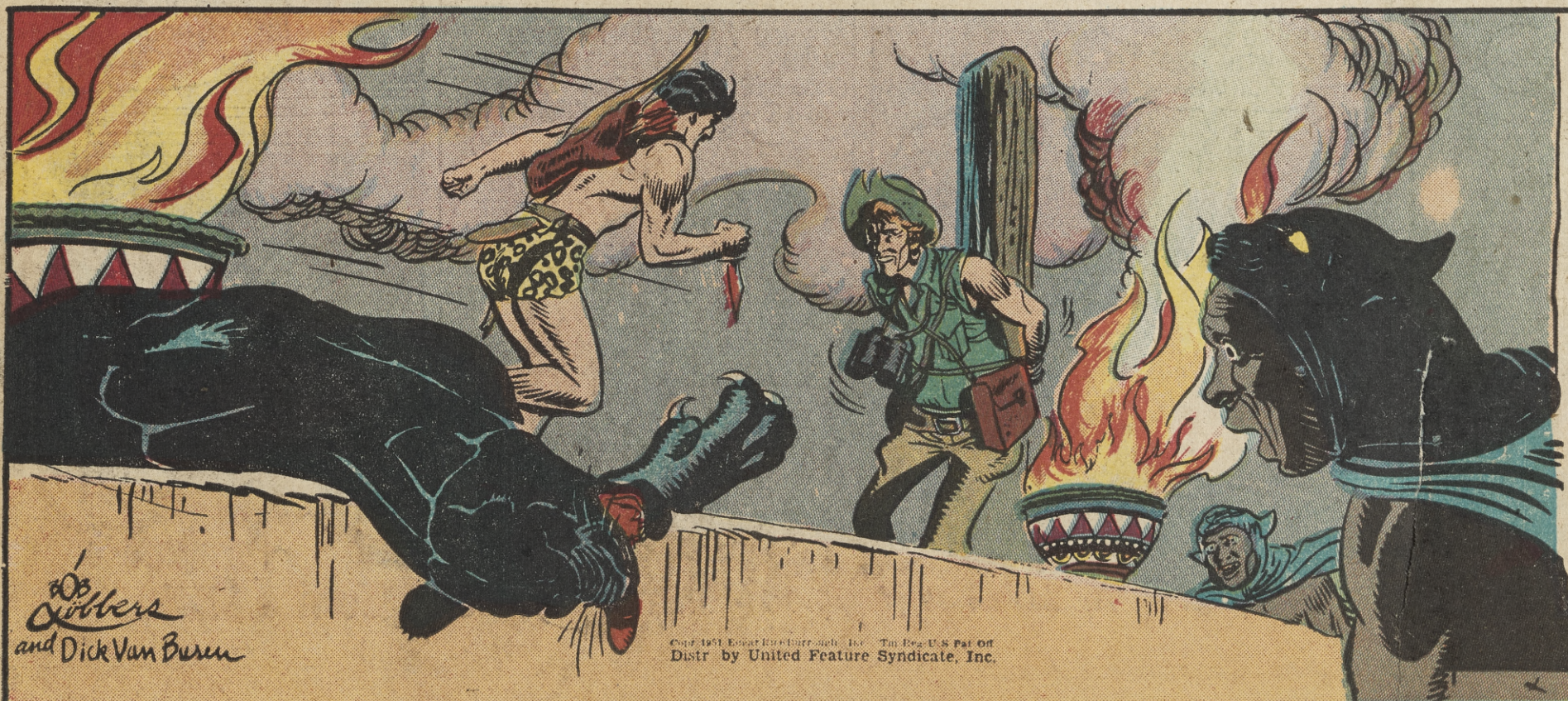


SOON TWO PANTHER MEN STEPPED UP ON THE DAIS AND RELEASED THEIR SNARLING GOD, WHILE TUSKER GRIMACED AS THE GREEN-EYED CARNIVORE SLUNK TOWARD HIM --

BUT SUDDENLY THE ROOM RESOUNDED WITH A PIERCING CHALLENGE! THE DRUMS AND DANCING STOPPED-- ASTONISHED EYES GLANCED ABOVE--



AND, PLUNGING DOWNWARD WITH TERRIFIC IMPACT, A GIANT WHITE MAN INTERCEPTED THE PANTHER'S SPRING!

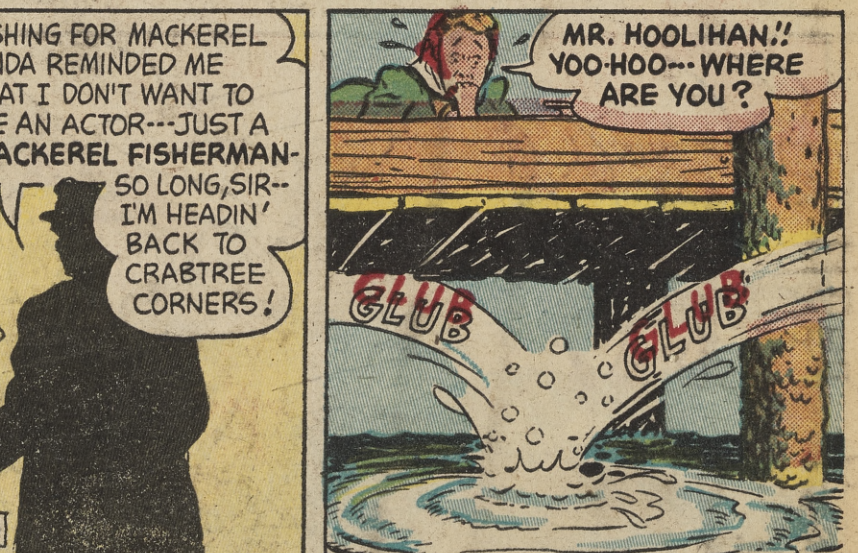
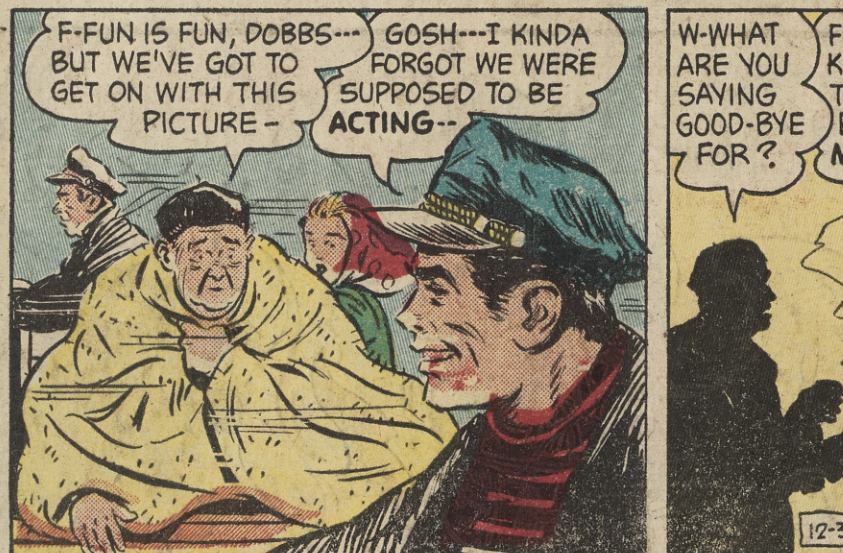
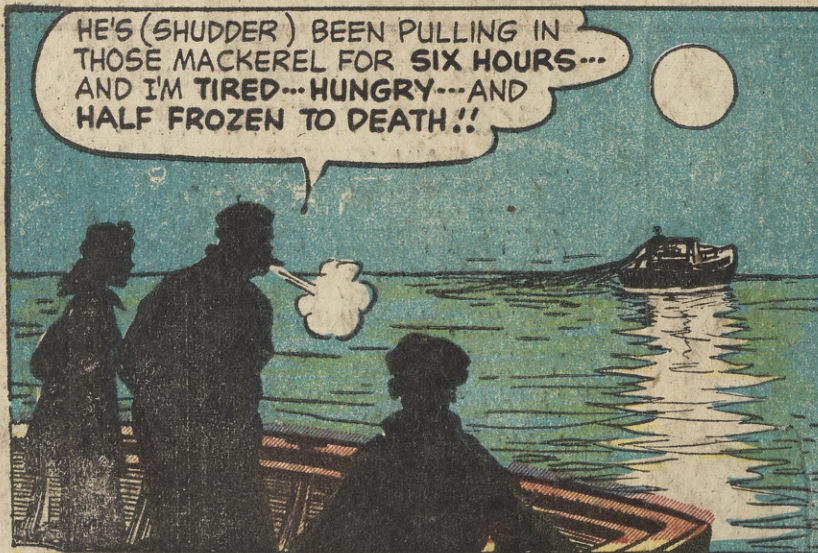
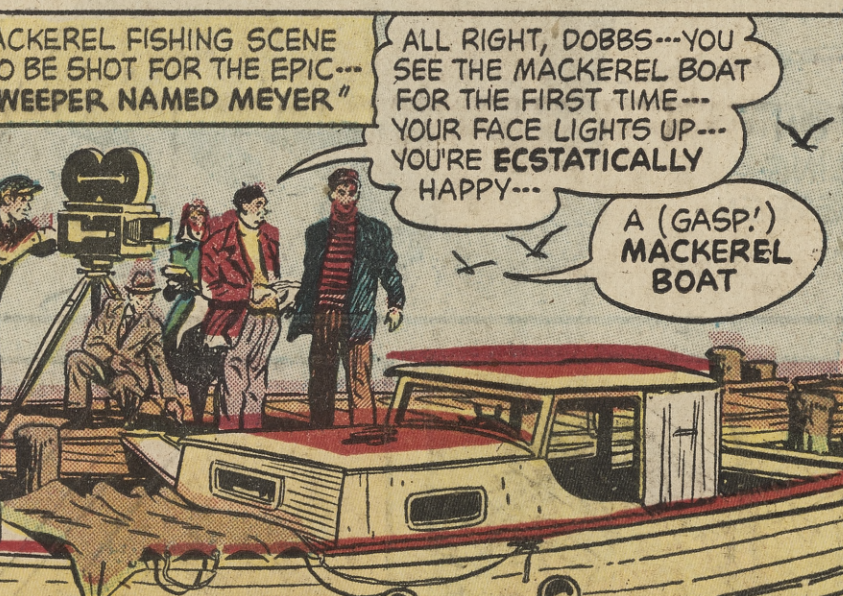
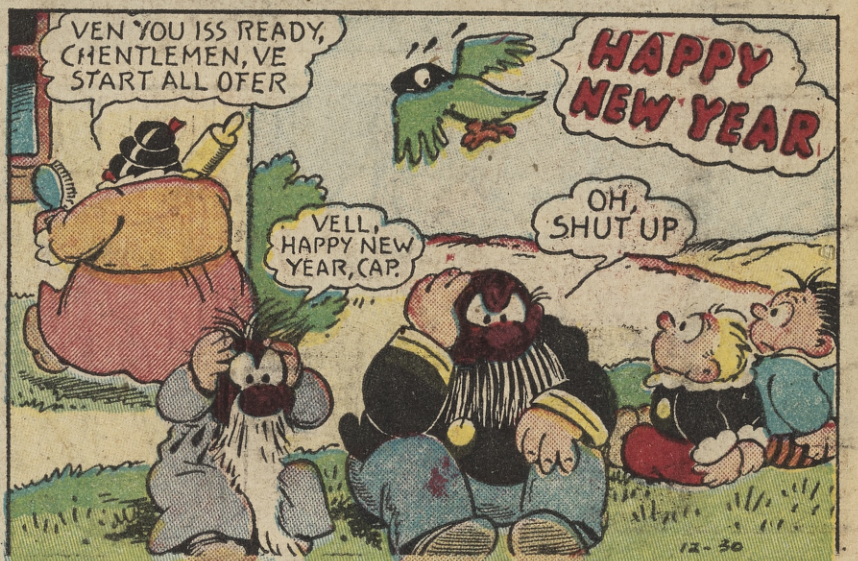
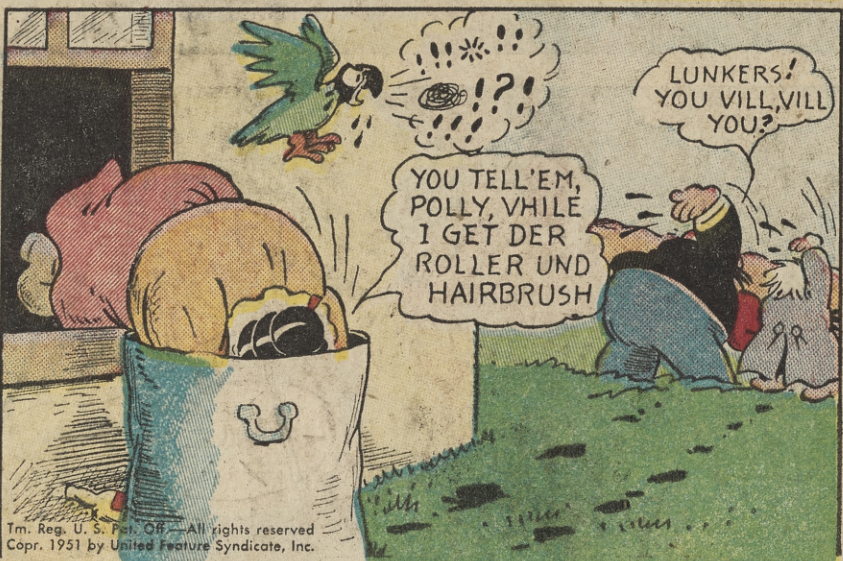
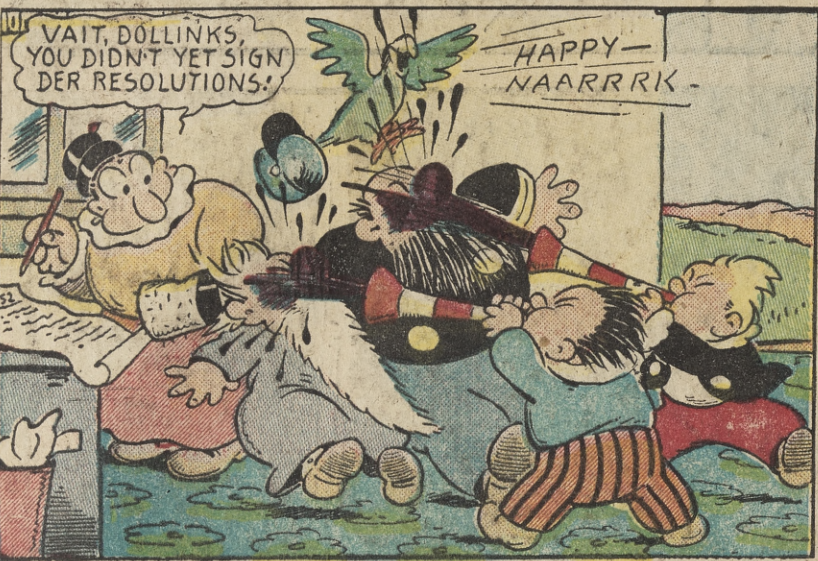
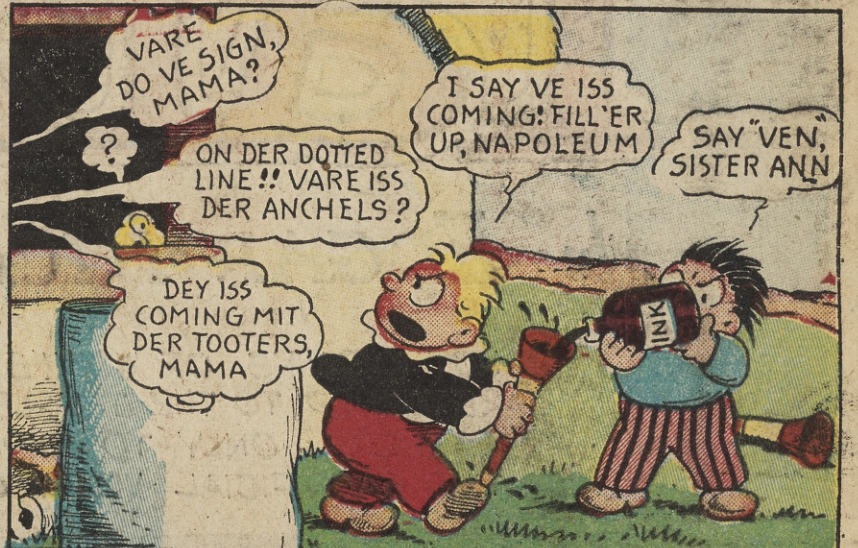
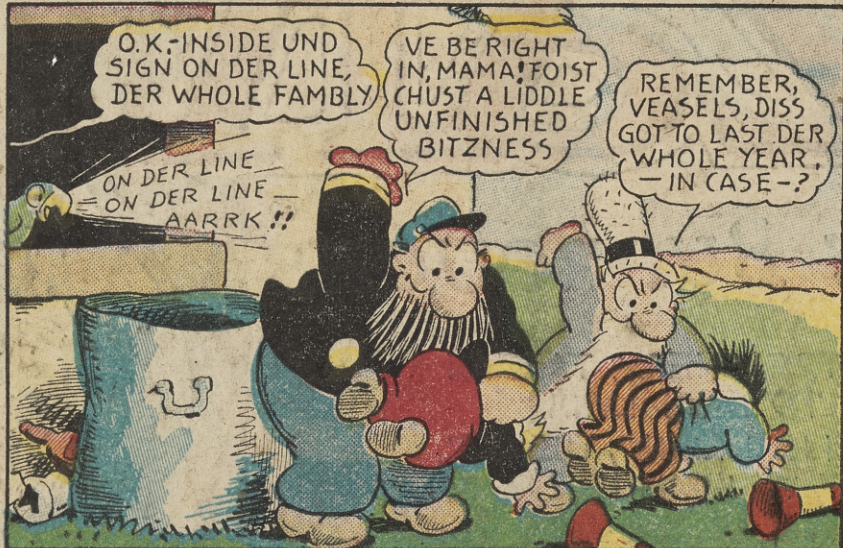
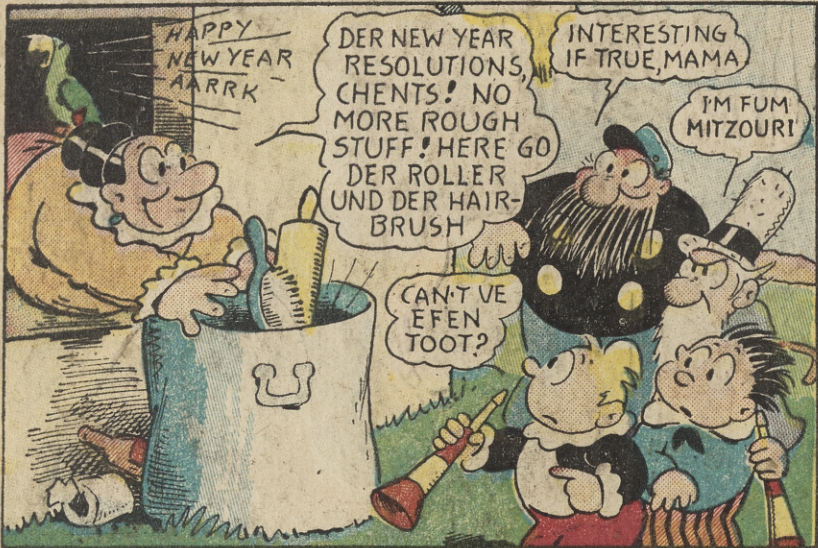
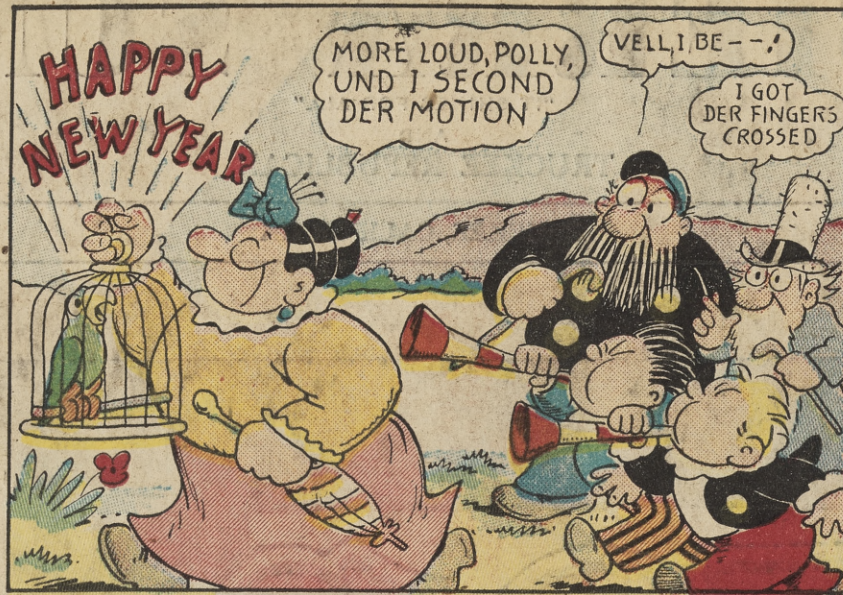
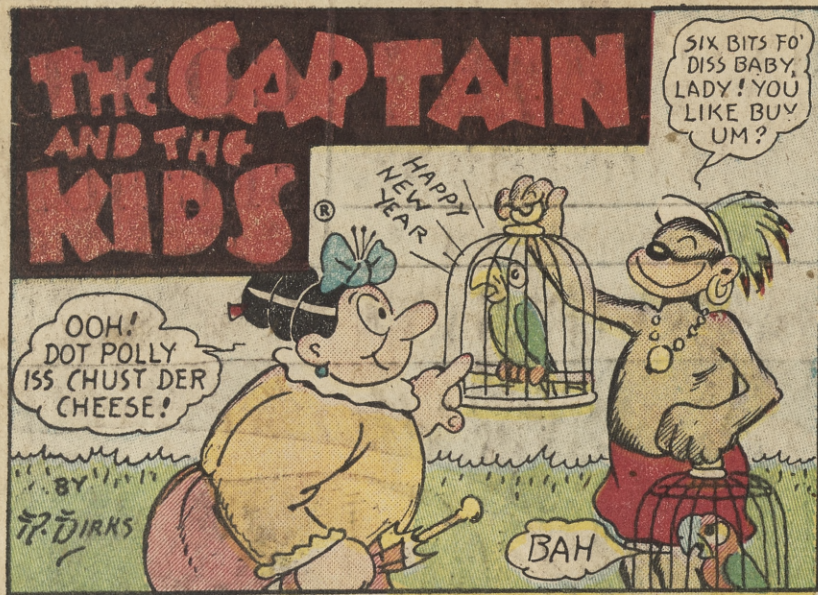


AFTER A FEW BRUTAL SECONDS, THE PANTHER MEN SAW THEIR BELOVED IDOL DEAD AT THE FEET OF A SCREAMING, BRONZED DEVIL. HOPING TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF HIS STUNNING VICTORY, TARZAN LEAPED FORWARD TO FREE TUSKER BEFORE HIS KILL-MAD ENEMIES RECOVERED FROM THEIR SHOCK!

and Dick Van Buren

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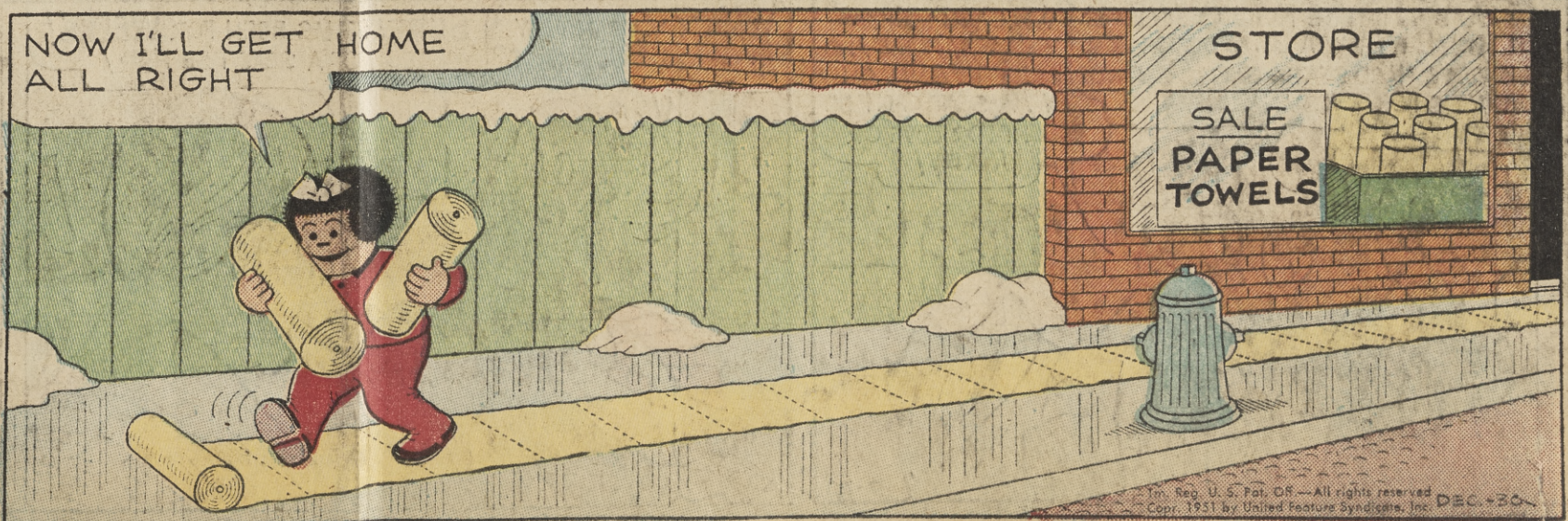
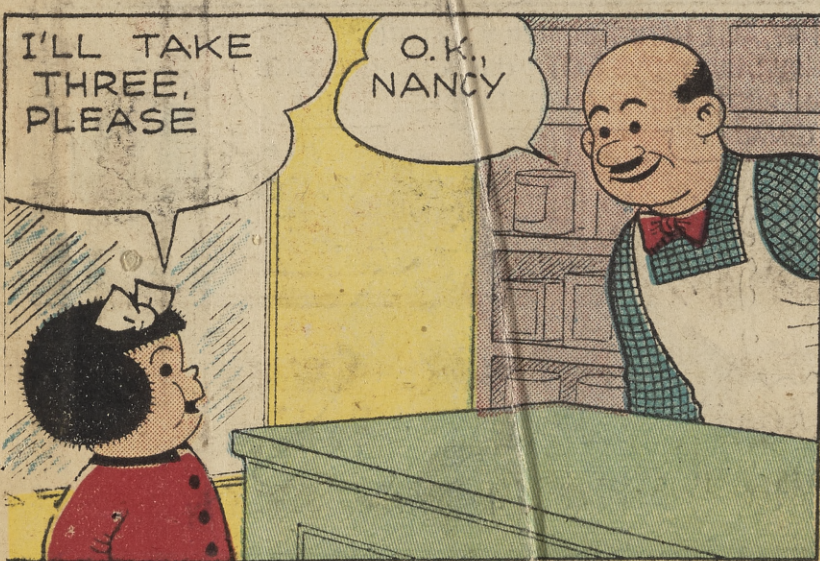
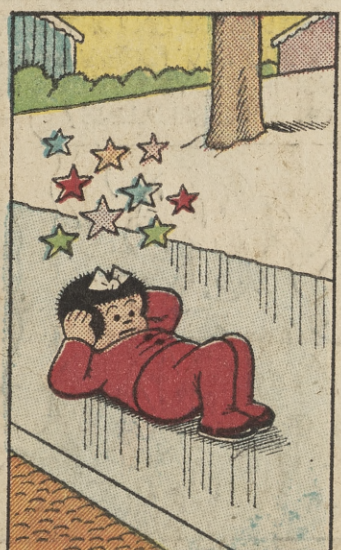
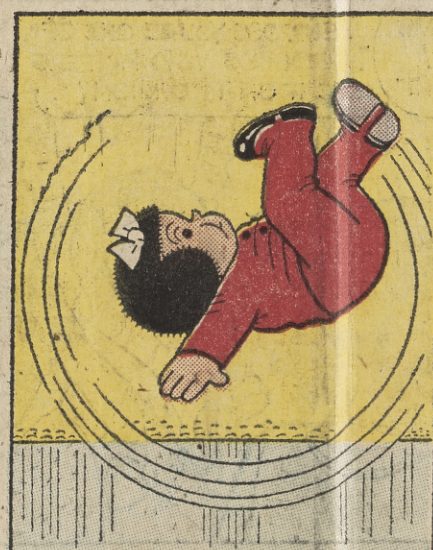
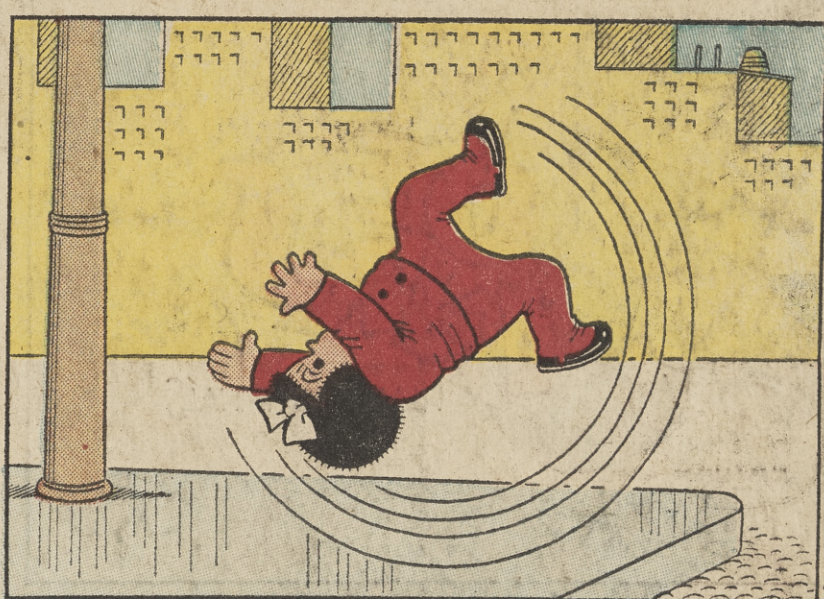
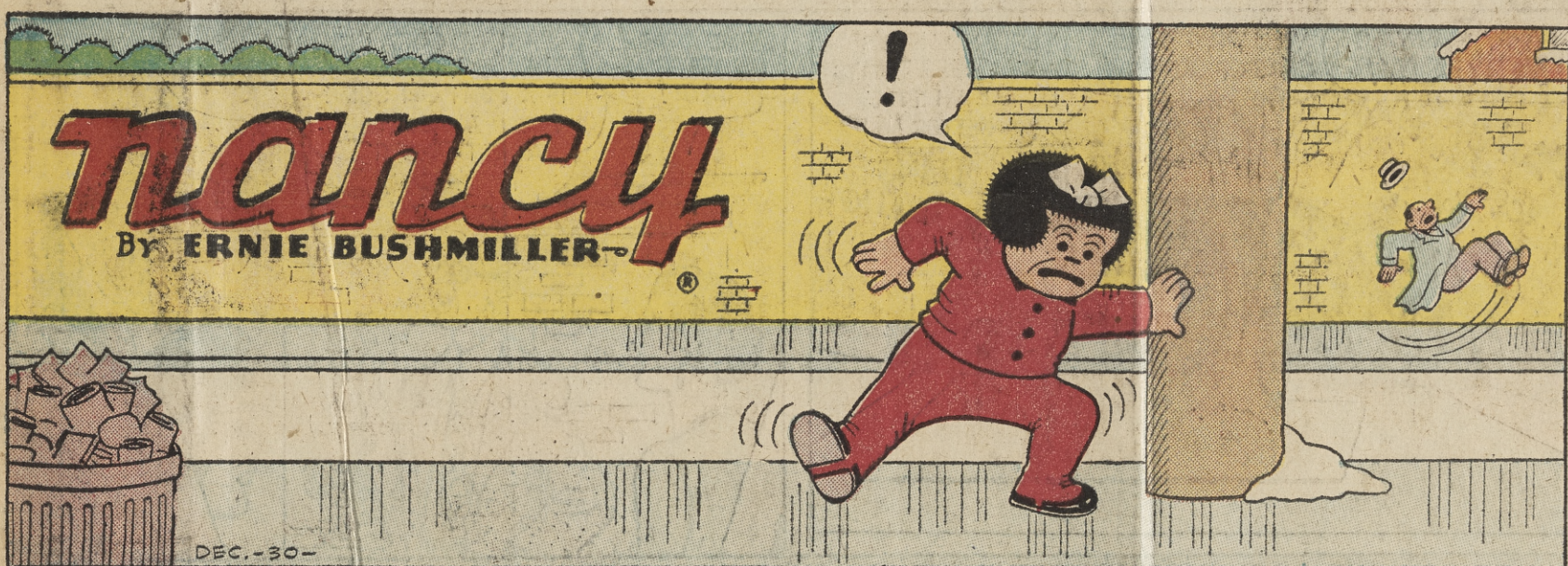
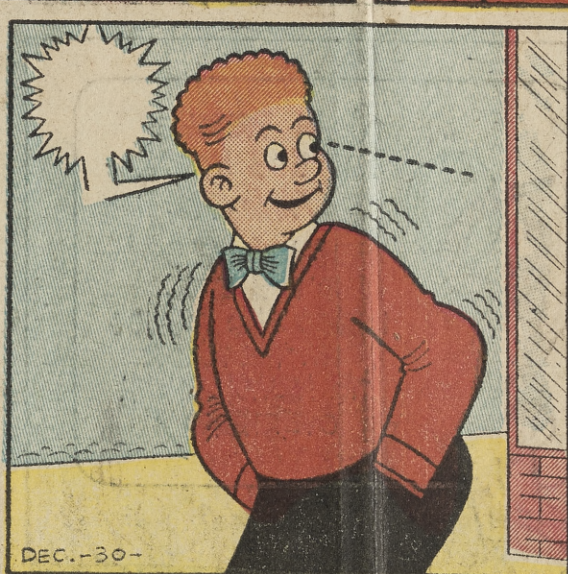
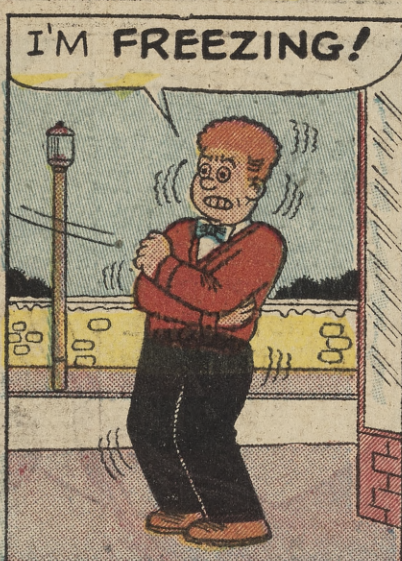
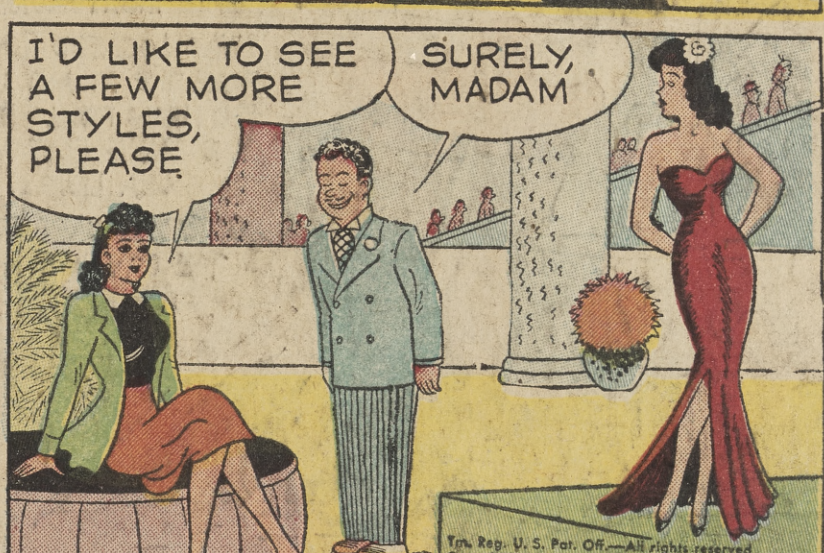
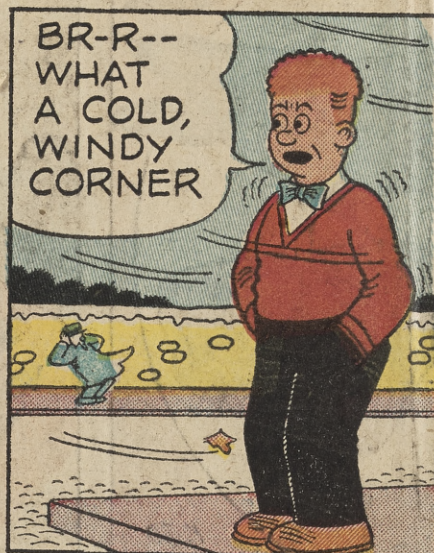
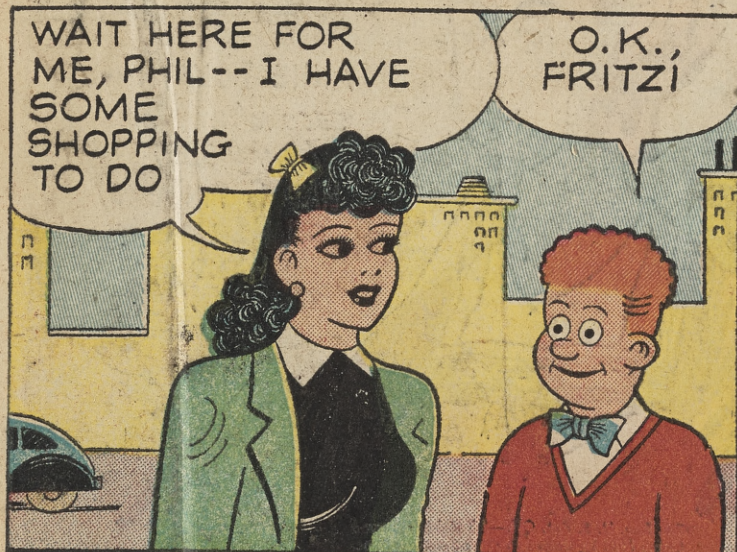
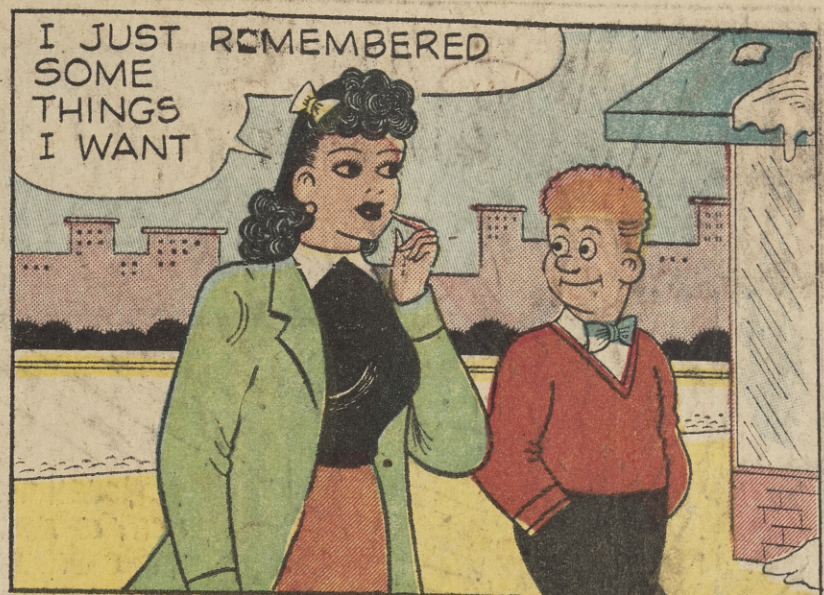
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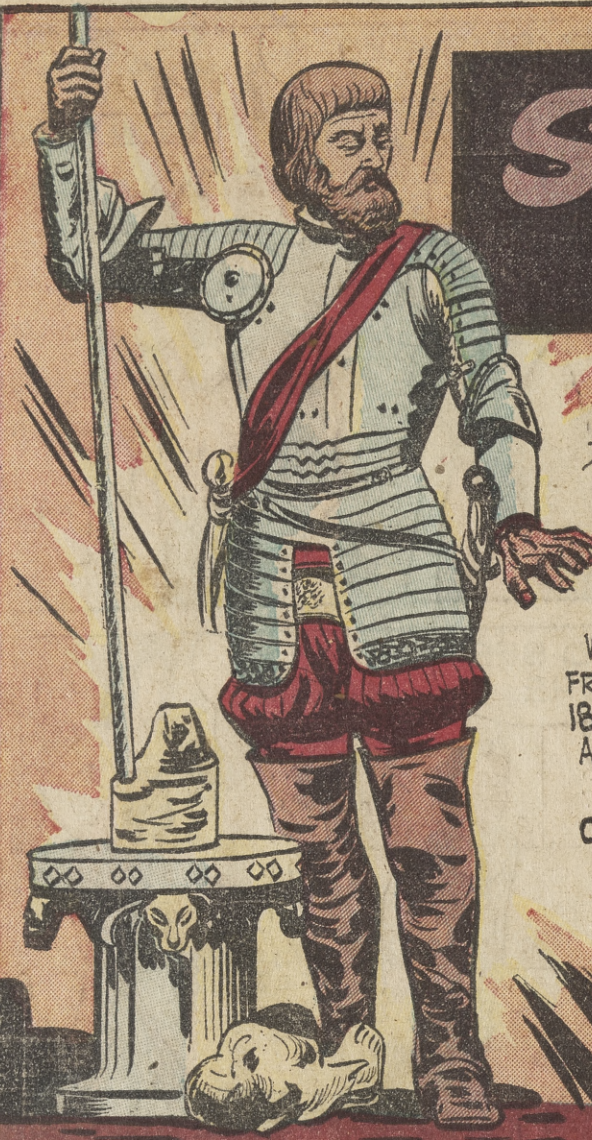
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THE FIRST YALE-PRINCETON FOOTBALL GAME WAS INTERRUPTED FOR HALF AN HOUR WHEN TWO PLAYERS KICKED THE BALL AT THE SAME TIME-- IT EXPLODED!




ANNE BOLEYN-- second wife of Henry VIII, HAD 6 FINGERS ON HER RIGHT HAND!



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WELL, THAT TAKES CARE OF OLD 1951!

YEH, AND HERE'S HOPIN' 1952 TREATS US ALL A LITTLE BETTER!

BANG! BANG! WHOOOOOOOOOOO

DANG DANG



COME, DEAR! IT'S GETTING LATE!

YEH, WE GOT A BIG DAY AHEAD OF US! IF I DON'T GET SOME SLEEP I WON'T BE ABLE T'TAKE IT TOMORROW!

OH, NOT SO SOON!



COME ON, FRED! Y'DONT HAVE T'GO YET! TH' NIGHT'S STILL A PUP!


T'MORROW'S A BIG DAY! TH' ROSE PARADE IN TH' MORNING AND THE FOOTBALL GAME IN TH' BOWL IN TH' AFTERNOON!

YOU'RE GOING TO THE GAME, AREN'T YOU?




MARILE, YOU COULDN'T PAY ME T'GO TO THAT FOOTBALL GAME! NOT IF Y'GAVE ME SEATS RIGHT ON TH' 50-YARD LINE!

I SUPPOSE YOU'RE ONE OF THOSE BIRDS WHO PREFERS T' SEE IT ON TELEVISION?



YOU BET! RIGHT HERE IN A BIG, SOFT CHAIR, IN TH' COMFORT OF MY LIVIN' ROOM WITH MY SLIPPERS, A GOOD CIGAR AN' A TALL, COOL DRINK!



YOU GUYS WHO HAVE T'GO TO TH' GAME CAN HAVE IT! PAY A LOT O'DOUGH FOR A NARROW, HARD SEAT-- BATTLE CROWDS AN' TRAFFIC FOR SEVERAL HOURS, GOIN' AN' COMIN'--

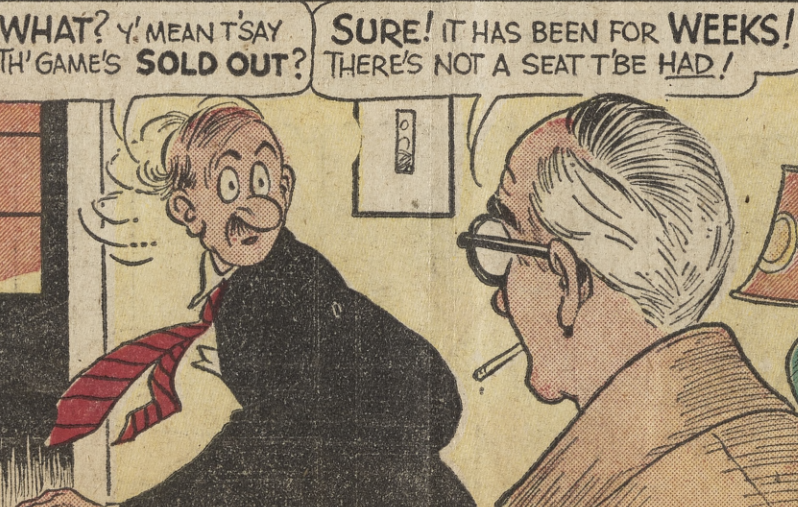
WELL, YOU MIGHT AS WELL STAY HOME AND ENJOY TH' GAME ON TV! A SEAT CAN'T BE BOUGHT FOR LOVE OR MONEY!



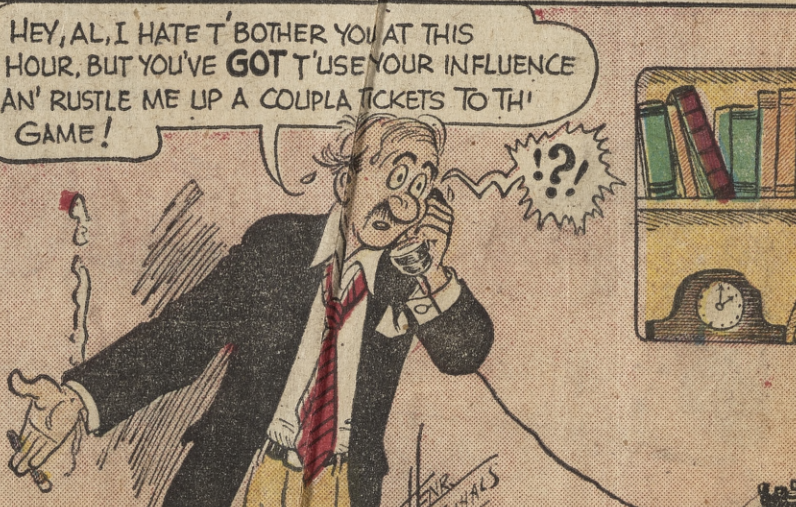
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WHAT? Y' MEAN T'SAY TH' GAME'S SOLD OUT?

SURE! IT HAS BEEN FOR WEEKS! THERE'S NOT A SEAT T'BE HAD!



HEY, AL, I HATE T'BOTHER YOU AT THIS HOUR, BUT YOU'VE GOT T'USE YOUR INFLUENCE AN' RUSTLE ME UP A COUPLA TICKETS TO TH' GAME!



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